

HIGHLIGHTS:

The percent of CalWORKs adults with earnings continued increasing by one percentage point to 33.5 % in the third quarter of 2017. Statewide unemployment rate (unadjusted) increased slightly to 5.2 %.

Median quarterly earnings of CalWORKs recipients remained flat at \$2,570 in the third quarter, as did the total adult recipient caseload with earnings at 54,777. Total adult caseload dropped 3 % to 163,518.

The following table and charts display the latest data available for CalWORKs recipients with earnings. The table displays the total number of CalWORKs adult recipients for each quarter, recipients with earnings, percent with earnings, and mean / median earnings. The first chart graphically displays the percent with earnings and median earnings. The second chart displays the total number of CalWORKs adult recipients during the quarter, the total with earnings, and their median earnings.

CalWORKs Adult Recipients Quarterly Wage Earnings Summary

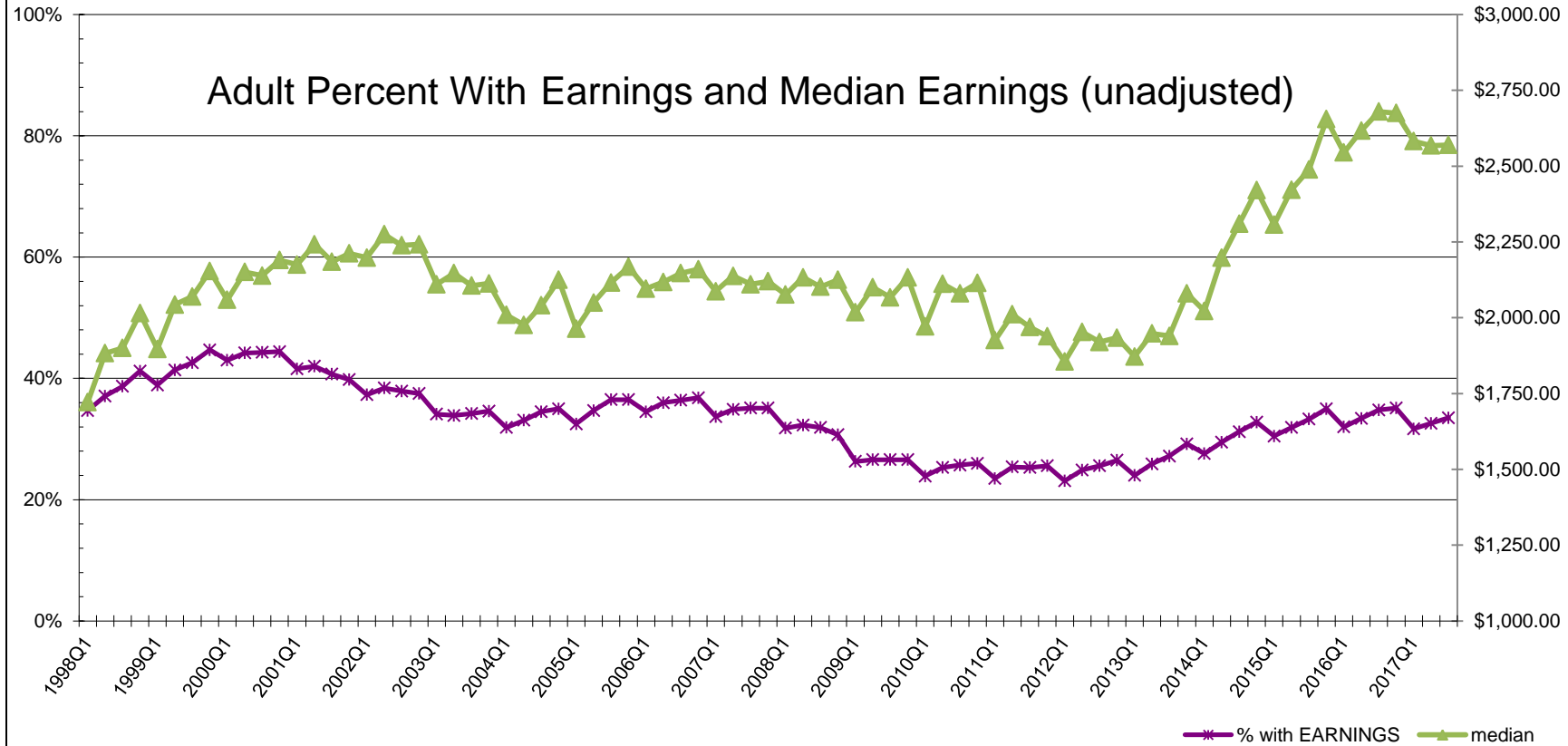
QUARTER	ADULTS	w/EARN	% with \$\$	MEAN	MEDIAN	Revised
2007Q1	184,815	62,357	33.70%	\$2,442	\$2,087	Final
2007Q2	182,287	63,570	34.90%	\$2,506	\$2,138	Final
2007Q3	183,619	64,483	35.10%	\$2,516	\$2,110	Final
2007Q4	188,487	66,196	35.10%	\$2,527	\$2,120	Final
2008Q1	193,624	61,630	31.80%	\$2,437	\$2,076	Final
2008Q2	194,678	62,873	32.30%	\$2,519	\$2,133	Final
2008Q3	197,948	63,067	31.90%	\$2,507	\$2,102	Final
2008Q4	208,840	64,042	30.70%	\$2,521	\$2,125	Final
2009Q1	217,996	57,328	26.30%	\$2,351	\$2,018	Final
2009Q2	221,874	59,085	26.60%	\$2,442	\$2,100	Final
2009Q3	226,900	60,377	26.60%	\$2,438	\$2,067	Final
2009Q4	238,747	63,473	26.60%	\$2,521	\$2,133	Final
2010Q1	248,022	59,169	23.90%	\$2,305	\$1,971	Final
2010Q2	249,785	63,288	25.30%	\$2,480	\$2,112	Final
2010Q3	260,479	66,855	25.70%	\$2,482	\$2,080	Final
2010Q4	272,294	70,732	26.00%	\$2,529	\$2,115	Final
2011Q1	277,098	65,146	23.50%	\$2,288	\$1,926	Final
2011Q2	277,959	70,627	25.40%	\$2,393	\$2,011	Final
2011Q3	250,698	63,539	25.30%	\$2,416	\$1,969	Final
2011Q4	248,553	63,619	25.60%	\$2,376	\$1,939	Final
2012Q1	244,381	56,458	23.10%	\$2,263	\$1,855	Final
2012Q2	238,522	59,450	24.90%	\$2,350	\$1,953	Final
2012Q3	238,196	61,068	25.60%	\$2,355	\$1,920	Final
2012Q4	237,757	62,973	26.50%	\$2,382	\$1,934	Final
2013Q1	234,256	56,106	24.00%	\$2,284	\$1,872	Final
2013Q2	227,219	58,871	25.90%	\$2,357	\$1,948	Final
2013Q3	223,913	60,794	27.20%	\$2,376	\$1,940	Final
2013Q4	231,127	67,431	29.20%	\$2,526	\$2,080	Final
2014Q1	252,674	69,748	27.60%	\$2,445	\$2,022	Final
2014Q2	268,321	79,152	29.50%	\$2,643	\$2,198	Final
2014Q3	265,793	82,847	31.20%	\$2,781	\$2,310	Final
2014Q4	258,250	84,695	32.80%	\$2,895	\$2,421	Final
2015Q1	252,079	76,811	30.50%	\$2,750	\$2,307	Final
2015Q2	248,289	79,179	31.90%	\$2,888	\$2,422	Final
2015Q3	243,607	81,234	33.30%	\$2,980	\$2,489	Final
2015Q4	236,606	82,699	35.00%	\$3,171	\$2,655	Final
2016Q1	234,184	74,877	32.00%	\$3,008	\$2,545	Final
2016Q2	212,049	70,819	33.40%	\$3,126	\$2,617	Updated
2016Q3	196,762	68,422	34.80%	\$3,210	\$2,680	Updated
2016Q4	186,883	65,549	35.10%	\$3,182	\$2,675	Updated
2017Q1	180,880	57,422	31.70%	\$3,069	\$2,582	Updated
2017Q2	168,216	54,786	32.60%	\$3,078	\$2,568	Updated
2017Q3	163,518	54,777	33.50%	\$3,114	\$2,570	New

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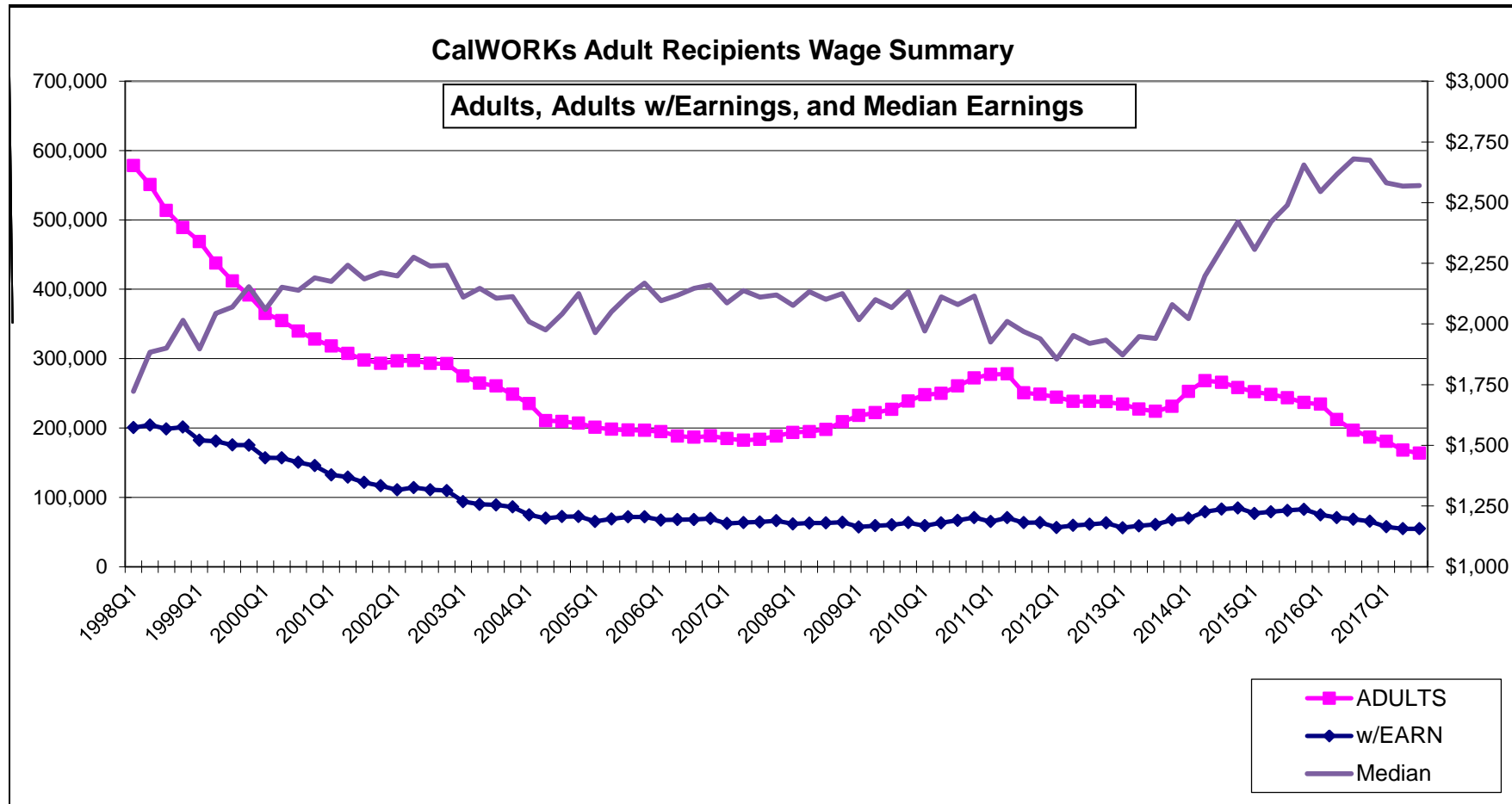


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